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20 have been added accordingly.

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Early, favorable prosecution on the merits is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

In the claims:

4. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in claim 2 [or 3], wherein fit members which are provided to said step plate and said clamp plate and engaged with said cam grooves of said cam plate [are] comprise fit pawls that are integrally formed by bending and erecting.

5. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in [any one of claims 2 to 4] claim 2, wherein said fit pawls of said step plate and said clamp plate are integrally formed by bending and erecting in a forming process thereof.

6. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in [any one of claims 1 to 5] claim 1, wherein said positioning unit is designed so as to position plural kinds of discs that are different in size.

7. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in [any one of claims 1 to 6] claim 1, wherein said positioning unit has a step plate, a G plate which is freely rotatably provided to said step plate and has, at one end thereof, a disc stopper on which a disc can be supported, and a sensor arm having, at one end thereof, an arm rod that can be fitted to the disc, the fitting positions of the other ends of said G plate and said sensor arm being changeable in accordance with plural discs different in diameter so that the discs can be positioned.

8. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in [any one of claims 1 to 7] claim 1, wherein the moving amounts of said positioning unit and said clamper unit are set to different values.

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10. (Amended) The disc player as claimed in claim 8 [or 9], wherein the moving amount of said positioning unit is set so that a vibration-isolation stroke can be kept, and the moving amount of said clamper unit is set so that the vibration-isolation stroke can be kept and the clearance between said clamper unit and said clamper ring for clamping said disc onto said turntable can be kept.

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